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Re: Attorney Docket No. 751143-001

In re application of: Conrad Roblejo

Serial No.: 08/788,667-PCO
Filed: 01/03/97

Group Art Unit: 3713
Examiner: Schaff, J.

For: Apparatus and Process for Verifying, Sorting, and Randomizing Sets of Playing Cards and Process for Playing Card Games

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 15, 1998, the following are transmitted herewith and form a part of this response:

1. Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111
2. Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (37 CFR 1.136(a))
3. A check in the amount of \$55.00 as payment of the Fee for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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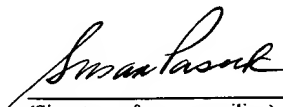
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Date of Deposit: February 5, 1999

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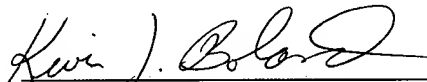
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Fee Payment

1. Attached is a check in the amount of \$55.00 as payment of the Fee for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is submitted herewith.
2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required which are associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1655 in the name of James Albert Drobile. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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